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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF

John Paul Russell

SERIAL NO. 09/166,814

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FOR: Concatenation of Containers in  
Synchronous Digital Hierarchy Network

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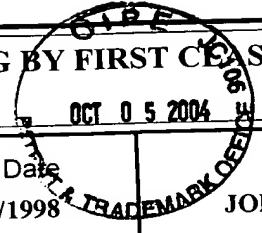
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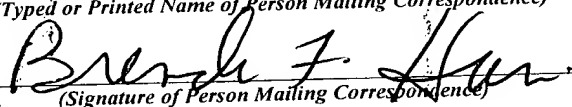
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